

Appendix D: Complete Listing of Pending Claims

1. (Original.) A hGR 1Ap/e gene of the human glucocorticoid receptor promoter 1A and exon 1A comprising at least 2056 bases of SEQ ID NO: 1.
2. (Original.) A hGR 1Ap/e gene as in Claim 1, wherein the promoter region comprises the region from -1075 to -1 of SEQ ID NO: 1 as numbered in Figure 1.
3. (Original.) A hGR 1Ap/e gene as in Claim 1, wherein the exon region comprises the region from +1 to +981 of SEQ ID NO: 1 as numbered in Figure 1.
4. (Original.) A human glucocorticoid receptor exon 1A region as in Claim 3, wherein transcription of the exon region results in a mRNA transcript.
5. (Previously Canceled.)
6. (Previously Canceled.)
7. (Original.) A mRNA transcript of human glucocorticoid receptor exon 1A region as in claim 4, wherein the transcript results from transcription of the region +1 to +981 of SEQ ID NO: 1 as numbered in Figure 1.

8. (Previously Canceled.)

9. (Previously Canceled.)

10. (Previously Canceled.)

11. (Previously Canceled.)

12. (Previously Canceled.)

13. (Previously Canceled.)

14. (Original.) A method to increase the expression of mRNA transcript as in Claim 7 to treat a patient with T-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia cells, comprising administering to the patient an enhancing amount of an exogenous demethylating agent to reactivate the human glucocorticoid promoter and exon 1A activity.

15. (Original.) The method of claim 14, wherein the demethylating agent is 5-azacytidine.

16. (Currently Cancelled)

17. (Currently Cancelled)

18. (Currently Cancelled)

19. (Original.) A method to convert glucocorticoid-resistant lymphoblasts to glucocorticoid-sensitive lymphoblasts, comprising introducing all or a functional portion of SEQ ID NO: 1 into the hormone-resistant lymphoblasts.

20. (Currently Cancelled)

21. (Currently Cancelled)

22. (Currently Cancelled)